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1. Among the personnel dismissed during the recent USIA reorganization were:

General Anisimov .. Head of the Transport Section

Engineer Colonel Rutlin - Technical Staff

General Director Popov - Donautransport

A total of 15 senior officials have been removed.

Industries concerned in the four main industrial groups envisaged are as follows:

a. Light Industry - leather shoes, textiles, wood products, china, and household goods.

b. Heavy Industry iron, steel, machinery, machine tools,
automobiles, heavy electrical equipment.

c. Chemical and oil products - paints and varnish, oil, including the control and operation of the Zistersdorf oil wells.

d. Agriculture and Foodstuffs -- flour mills, cooperative farms, the Bruck a/d Leitha sugar factory, the methylated spirit plant at Machfeld and the Schicht (Lever) margarine factory at Atzgersdorf.

The Agriculture and Foodstuffs Section is also responsible for the fruit and vegetable canning factory which is being built at Leopoldau and the meat canning plant at Munchendorf. Machinery for these factories is being obtained from Czechoslovakia and Hungary and boilers and other plants from the J.M. Voith Maschinenfabrik, St. Pölten.

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